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## SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statement filed on December 20, 2005, Applicants are enclosing Form PTO-1449 together with additional references. These references were cited in an Office Action dated March 5, 2008.

Because this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed subsequent to an Office Action, a check in the amount of \$180.00 is enclosed in payment of the fee for filing this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. Please

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It is respectfully requested that the foregoing Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be incorporated into the official file of the present patent application.

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Enclosures: Form PTO-1449 with two (2) references, English translation of Office Action dated March 5, 2008, Check in the amount of \$180.00

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA, on June 24, 2008.

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